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In Re application of) Group Art
Claus August BOLZA-SCHÜNEMANN) Unit: 2854
Application No. : 10/537,783) Examiner:
Filed : June 6, 2005) Joshua D.
FOR : METHODS FOR CONTROLLING) Zimmerman
BOTH A FIRST ROLLER, WHICH)
TAKES UP A DAMPENING AGENT)
FROM A DAMPENING AGENT)
SOURCE, AS WELL AS A)
SECOND ROLLER AND)
DAMPENING SYSTEM)

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement of May 12, 2006 in the subject U.S. patent application, the applicant, through the undersigned attorney elects to prosecute in this application the invention or group of inventions identified by the Examiner as Group I; i.e. claims 102-127, which are drawn to a method for controlling rollers.

Applicant expressly reserves the right to file one or more divisional patent applications directed to the inventions or groups of inventions not prosecuted in this application.

An early and favorable Office Action on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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